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For: Hydrodynamic-Force Responsive )  
Baffle For Liquid Treatment, Blank For )  
The Baffle, and Methods of Releasing )  
Hydrodynamic Forces )

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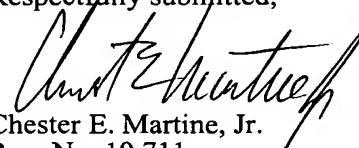
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**U.S. Patent Documents**

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**Other Documents**

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	Q	Strongwell Brochure "Fiberglass Baffle Panels", 2 pages, dated at least as early as May 23, 2001.
	R	Enduro Brochure "Fiberglass Baffle Wall Systems", 4 pages, dated at least as early as May 23, 2001.
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